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E. O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: GH, EAID, EFIN, PFOR, IBRD

SUBJECT: GHANA DEBT: MAY 7;8 CREDITORS' MEETINGS

REF: LONDON 5494

1. EMBASSY HAS JUST RECEIVED FOLLOWING COMMUNICATION
FROM FCO: BEGIN QUOTE: I HAVE BEEN REQUESTED BY THE
ITALIAN EMBASSY TO INFORM YOU THAT THE ITALIAN GOVERNMENT:

(A) CONFIRMS THAT ITALY REMAINS A FULL MEMBER OF THE
GROUP OF GHANA' S CREDITOR COUNTRIES;

(B) APPROVES THE TEXT OF THE MESSAGE AGREED AT
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THE MEETING OF 8 MAY EXCEPT THAT, WITH
REFERENCE TO PARAGRAPH 8 OF THE TEXT, ITALY
IS NOT TO BE CONSIDERED AS A POTENTIAL AID
DONOR;

(C) WOULD BE WILLING TO MEET REPRESENTATIVE OF
CREDITOR COUNTRIES IN ORDER TO AGREE A COMMON
LINE PRIOR TO DISCUSSIONS WITH THE GHANA
GOVERNMENT. END QUOTE.

2. FCO OFFICIAL CONCERNED EXPLAINED THAT ITALIAN
GOVERNMENT WAS REPRESENTED AT MAY 7-8 MEETINGS BY
OBSERVER FROM EMBASSY WHO LACKED FULL POWERS. FOREGOING
OFFICIAL COMMUNICATION IS NECESSARY TO ASSOCIATE ITALY
FORMALLY WITH THE DECISIONS TAKEN AT THE MAY 7-

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